

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO  <b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b> <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>	Complete if Known	
	<b>Application Number</b>	10/656,491
	<b>Filing Date</b>	September 5, 2003
	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Dagmar Beyerlein
	<b>Group Art Unit</b>	3767
	<b>Examiner Name</b>	Catherine Witczak
Sheet 1 of 1	Attorney Docket No: 5618P3653X	

US PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initial *	Cite No <sup>1</sup>	USP Document Number	Publication or Issue Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		US-6,254,598	07/03/2001	Edwards, et al.	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials*	Cite No <sup>1</sup>	Foreign Patent Document Country Code/Number/Kind Code (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T <sup>2</sup>

OTHER DOCUMENTS -- NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No <sup>1</sup>	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T <sup>2</sup>
		ABBOTT CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEMS, Non final office action dated 07/06/2010 for USSN 10/869,691	

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED